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SUBJ: MBFR: SOVIET PROPOSED DRAFT RECORD OF FIRST PLENARY SESSION

FOLLOWING IS SOVIET PROPOSED DRAFT TEXT OF RECORD OF FIRST PLENARY
AS GIVEN TO WESTERN SPOKESMEN BY SOVIETS AT MEETING ON 29 APRIL
(SEE VIENNA 3519 FOR FURTHER DETAILS). BEGIN TEXT.

RECORD
OF THE PLENARY MEETING OF THE PREPARATORY CONSULTATIONS HELD IN
VIENNA ON MAY 1973

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CHAIRMAN (MR.....):

WE HAVE GATHERED TO RESOLVE THE QUESTION OF PARTICIPATION AND PROCEDURES. IN THIS CONNECTION WE, AS I UNDERSTAND, ARE TO HEAR NINE POINTS AND TWO STATEMENTS.

MR.....

1. REPRESENTATIVES OF THE FOLLOWING STATES ARE THE PARTICIPANTS IN THE PREPARATORY CONSULTATIONS RELATED TO CENTRAL EUROPE WHICH BEGAN IN VIENNA ON 31 JANUARY 1973:

THE KINGDOM OF BELGIUM
THE PEOPLE' S REPUBLIC OF BULGARIA
CANADA
THE CZECHOSLOVAK SOCIALIST REPUBLIC
THE KINGDOM OF DENMARK
THE GERMAN DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC
THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY
THE KINGDOM OF GREECE
THE HUNGARIAN PEOPLE' S REPUBLIC
THE ITALIAN REPUBLIC
THE GRAND DUCHY OF LUXEMBOURG
THE KINGDOM OF THE NETHERLANDS
THE KINGDOM OF NORWAY
THE POLISH PEOPLE' S REPUBLIC
THE SOCIALIST REPUBLIC OF ROMANIA
THE REPUBLIC OF TURKEY
THE UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS
THE UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND
THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

2. REPRESENTAVIES OF THE FOLLOWING STATES, WHICH ARE POTENTIAL PARTICIPANTS IN POSSIBLE AGREEMENTS RELATED TO CENTRAL EUROPE, WILL TAKE THE NECESSARY DECISIONS BY CONSENSUS:

THE KINGDOM OF BELGIUM
CANADA
THE CZECHOSLOVAK SOCIALIST REPUBLIC
THE GERMAN DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC
THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY
THE GRAND DUCHY OF LUXEMBOURG
THE KINGDOM OF THE NETHERLANDS
THE POLISH PEOPLE' S REPUBLIC
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THE UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND
THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

IF ANOTHER STATE WISHES TO BE INCLUDED AMONG THE STATES LISTED IN THIS PARAGRAPH AND THIS IS AGREED BY CONSENSUS OF THE REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATES LISTED IN THIS PARAGRAPH, IT MAY BE SO INCLUDED. SUCH INCLUSION IN NEGOTIATIONS OR DECISIONS RELATED TO

CENTRAL EUROPE COULD EITHER BE GENERAL OR, IF SO AGREED, COULD BE FOR THE LIMITED PURPOSE OF TAKING PART IN A PARTICULAR DECISION OR DECISIONS RELATING TO THIS SUBJECT. IT IS UNDERSTOOD THAT SUCH ADDITIONAL PARTICIPATION IN DECISIONS, AGREEMENTS, OR MEASURES SHOULD BE WITHOUT PREJUDICE TO THE SECURITY OF ANY OF THE PARTIES.

3. THE FOLLOWING STATES WILL PARTICIPATE WITH A SPECIAL STATUS:

THE PEOPLE' S REPUBLIC OF BULGARIA
THE KINGDOM OF DENMARK
THE KINGDOM OF GREECE
THE HUNGARIAN PEOPLE' S REPUBLIC
THE ITALIAN REPUBLIC
THE KINGDOM OF NORWAY
THE SOCIALIST REPUBLIC OF ROMANIA
THE REPUBLIC OF TURKEY

4. ALL PARTICIPANTS WILL BE SEATED AS LISTED IN PARAGRAPH 1 ACCORDING TO THE ENGLISH VERSION.

5. THE CHAIRMANSHIP WILL ROTATE FROM MEETING TO MEETING AMONG THE REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATES LISTED IN PARAGRAPH 2 IN THE ORDER SET FORTH IN THE ENGLISH VERSION. THE FIRST CHAIRMAN WILL BE DRAWN BY LOT.

6. ALL PARTICIPANTS WILL HAVE THE RIGHT TO SPEAK AND TO CIRCULATE PAPERS ON THE SUBJECT MATTER.

7. THE MEETINGS WILL BE OPEN ONLY TO THE PARTICIPANTS.

8. FOLLOWING THE OPENING STATEMENTS, PROCEEDINGS AND DOCUMENTS OF THE MEETINGS WILL BE CONFIDENTIAL EXCEPT FOR THOSE MATTERS ON WHICH IT IS AGREED IN ADVANCE THAT ANOTHER PROCEDURE WILL BE FOLLOWED. THERE WILL BE NO OFFICIAL RECORDS OF MEETINGS EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE AGREED.

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9. THE OFFICIAL LANGUAGES WILL BE ENGLISH, FRENCH, GERMAN, AND RUSSIAN.

MR.....

THE REPRESENTATIVES OF BELGIUM, CANADA, THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY, LUXEMBOURG, THE NETHERLANDS, THE UNITED KINGDOM AND THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA WISH TO POINT OUT THAT THE ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE PARTICIPATION OF HUNGARY IN THESE CONSULTATIONS ARE WITHOUT PREJUDICE TO THE NATURE OF HUNGARY' S PARTICIPATION IN FUTURE NEGOTIATIONS, DECISIONS, OR AGREED MEASURES OR TO THE SECURITY OF ANY PARTY, AND THAT, IN PARTICULAR, THE QUESTION OF HOW AND TO WHAT EXTENT HUNGARY WILL BE INCLUDED IN FUTURE DECISIONS, AGREEMENTS, OR MEASURES MUST BE EXAMINED AND DECIDED DURING THE PENDING NEGOTIATIONS.

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MR. E. USTOR

IN CONNECTION WITH THE UNILATERAL STATEMENT OF THE REPRESENTATIVES OF BELGIUM, CANADA, THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY, LUXEMBOURG, THE NETHERLANDS, THE UNITED KINGDOM AND THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA THE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE HUNGARIAN PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC WISHES TO STATE THE FOLLOWING.

AS THE REPRESENTATIVES OF HUNGARY AND OF THE OTHER SOCIALIST STATES HAVE EXPLAINED DURING THE COURSE OF THE CONSULTATIONS, HUNGARY COULD CONSIDER PARTICIPATION IN POSSIBLE DECISIONS, AGREEMENTS, OR MEASURES ONLY IF THE APPROPRIATE CONDITIONS ARE FULFILLED.

CHAIRMAN (MR.....):

ARE THERE ANY OBJECTIONS?

I SEE NONE.

IT WILL BE SO RECORDED. END TEXT. HUMES

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